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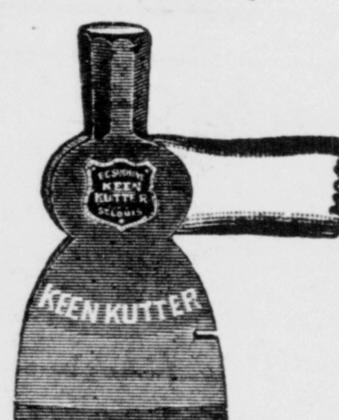
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## CAPITAL NEWS

OKLAHOMA NATIONAL GUARD BILL PASSES HOUSE FINALLY.

### SEVERAL ALTERATIONS IN THE MEASURE

Friends Say Efficiency of Act Has Been Hampered—Fish and Game Bill Passes.

Guthrie, Okla., April 22.—The house bill creating a state national guard passed the senate finally today after a series of alterations which, its friends say, will lower the law somewhat in efficiency.

The brigade organization was reduced to one regiment. The senate would not consent to a regiment in what was formerly Indian Territory in addition to the existing organization of one regiment and including all arms of the service on the Oklahoma side.

The \$30,000 appropriation provided by the house was reduced by eliminating the assistant adjutant general, the stenographer and the storekeeper, whose annual salaries aggregated \$3,000. The adjutant general was also reduced to \$1,800 per year.

The guard is to go into camp for 10 days each year, for which an appropriation of \$8,125 is made. By a vote of 19 to 18 an amendment by Senator Brownlee providing that the United States army canteen regulations should be applied to all Oklahoma guard encampments was defeated.

Drunkenness of officers or men, however, is not to be tolerated, according to a provision by Senator Blair, which was adopted. An officer or enlisted man who is under the influence of liquor while on duty, while at encampments or going to or returning from duty, is declared to be guilty of boisterous conduct and is to be summarily removed from the service.

Any superior officer who fails to punish an inferior is also to be removed.

**Building and Loan Companies.**

The senate recommended the passage of a compromise bill regulating building and loan companies. Local companies are permitted to enlarge their capital to \$2,000,000 instead of to \$500,000 as the present law restricts.

Stock may also be reissued upon expiration. The compromise bill does not contemplate foreign companies shall domesticate before being permitted to do business here.

Final passage was also obtained upon Senator Keys' fish and game bill.

Friends of doctors had their interest in the house today in a spirited debate over the Johnson bill from the senate, establishing a state board of health. The senate bill composed the board of a physician, irrespective of a school of medicine, and the presidents of the state university and the Agricultural and Mechanical college.

A majority of the house committee increased the board to five members, four doctors and one farmer, "actually engaged in farming." In naming the doctors the allopath, eclectic, homeopath any physiomedic schools of medicine were recognized.

**Adjournment Defeated.**

The resolution by Mr. Vandeventer to adjourn the legislature for two weeks from next Saturday afternoon failed this morning by a vote of 76 to 24. This action removes all opportunity for a recess as desired and means that the legislature will remain continuously in session until May 24, which is the last day allowed by the constitution.

**New House Bills.**

The new house bills today were by Messrs. Jap and Stone, for building a state oil refinery; by Messrs. Wilson and Ashby, taxing peddlers from \$10 to \$100 annually, and exempting ex-Federal and ex-Confederate soldiers; and by Mr. Ellis, locating near Enid a secondary school for teaching

agriculture and appropriating \$50,000 therefor.

The Roddie anti-gambling bill will soon be ready for the governor's signature, as the house today closed action on the matter by adopting the conference committee's report. The vote was 70 to 30.

The report eliminated the amendment making the playing of bridge whist, progressive euchre and other parlor games for prizes a misdemeanor and in violation of the anti-gambling law.

Both branches of the legislature were in receipt of telegrams from Congressman Scott Ferris, announcing the passage in the house of the bill removing restrictions and advising that the negro and the Federal court jurisdiction clauses were eliminated.

Reading of the telegrams drew from the members loud applause. The senate voted its thanks to the Oklahoma delegation in congress for the work done.

### PRETTY GIRL CARRIES BIG SIX-SHOOTER.

Is Empowered to Make Arrests, Serve Papers and She Knows How to Shoot.

Muskogee, Okla., April 22.—"Beulah Reynolds, deputy United States marshal in the eastern district of Oklahoma." That is the way it reads on the pay-roll, and the petite, handsome girl that answers to the name is a real deputy marshal under Grant Victor, with authority to carry a six-shooter, a privilege which she uses. Miss Reynolds was employed as a stenographer, but she insisted on taking the same oath that any other deputy marshal takes, and is subject to the same rules and duties. So far as known she is the only woman actually in service as a deputy United States marshal. She has authority to make arrests, raids, serve papers and even go into the field on special duty.

When she took the oath she was asked if she would make an arrest or take part in a real fight if it came to a show down. "I am not a quitter," she said. The next morning when the marshal came down he found lying on the desk of his new deputy a pearl handled six-shooter of excellent make handsomely engraved and every chamber loaded. The young woman has been carrying the gun when she thought she needed it and she knows how to use it.

### RESTRICTIONS ON MILLIONS OF ACRES OFF.

National House Passes Bill Adding Much to State's Wealth.

Washington, April 22.—As a result of the persistent work of the entire Oklahoma delegation, the house today passed a bill removing restrictions from land owners of the Five Civilized Tribes, without a dissenting vote. This will place 3,000,000 acres of land on the market and adds immeasurably to the value and taxable wealth of the state. Members of congress from Oklahoma are much elated over the outcome of their fight.

The passage of the bill scores the most unique record during the present session of congress. The bill was agreed upon by the Oklahoma delegation and the interior department and many conferences and was reported unanimously for passage by the house Indian affairs committee.

Several speeches were made favoring the bill, but not one against it.

The persons who will be benefited by the legislation are those who have less than one-half Indian blood, also intermarried white persons and freedmen who have, by previous acts of congress, been provided with allotments.

### ANGRY SOLON MAKES NOISE LIKE FIGHTER.

Brook Resents Reflections by Davis in Military Bill Speech.

Guthrie, Okla., April 22.—Senator Eck E. Brook of Muskogee caused a sensation in the senate today by attempting an attack upon Senator Clarence Davis of Bristow, Brook charging that Davis in a speech on the Deyerle military bill made remarks casting personal reflections on

If the weather does not forbid, Miss Carter will give her recital this evening at the Grand Leader building. She is considered one of the best platform impersonators and humorists in the southwest, and those who have heard her are loud in her praise. A high class entertainment. Admission 15 and 25 cents. Benefit Baptist parsonage.

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Brook. The attack was forestalled by a sergeant at arms who seized Brook before he reached the big man from Bristow.

The presence in the senate chamber of General Frank Canton of the state militia provoked Senator Hatchett to an excoriating speech against lobbying. Hatchett opposed nearly every feature of the bill, which, however, was advanced to a third reading.

Nearly every item of appropriation in the bill was reduced, the adjutant general's salary being clipped to \$1,800 and the maintenance amount to \$15,000 per year.

Blair and Brook led the fight of the Indian Territory side for a second militia regiment. Blair proposed an amendment providing for six companies on each side of the state. This was defeated after Gen. Canton had

stated that four companies had been mustered out in Oklahoma and that the quota would be filled from the Indian Territory side. The brigade plan was defeated and the bill provides for only one regiment. The adjutant general is allowed no assistants.

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### MUSKOGEE TURNS DOWN \$100,000 APPROPRIATION.

BILL Pending Provides for Public Buildings in Several Cities of Oklahoma.

Washington, April 22.—Because Muskogee is not willing to accept a hundred thousand dollar public building, it is understood she will not get any at this session of congress, and that Tulsa and Enid will each be provided with one, or with legislation looking to the erection of one in the near future.

The Muskogee people were told they could get an appropriation in the omnibus public building bill this year authorizing a building to cost \$100,000, but they replied theirs was a half million building town, and that they would prefer to wait rather than to have a building which would soon be far behind the time in point of capacity and appearance.

Representative Davenport thinks that he can induce the committee on public buildings and grounds to allow \$70,000 of Muskogee's offered \$100,000 for a building at Tulsa and \$25,000 for one at Bartlesville.

It was ascertained today that the bill provides for the erection of public buildings in Oklahoma as follows: Oklahoma City, \$100,000; Enid, \$100,000; for sites approximately \$10,000 each, Chickasha, Perry and possibly Shawnee.

# Ada Evening News

One B. WEAVER, Editor and Owner  
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The closing of the saloons in Oklahoma City has greatly improved trade and morals in that city. The sixty places occupied by saloons are all being used for other business purposes, which is certainly remarkable in view of the large number of new buildings being constructed. The Daily Oklahoman, in a recent editorial, says a majority of the merchants freely assert that trade has been better, and cash transactions more frequent, since the advent of prohibition. This is a very striking fact in view of the financial panic coming along at the same time. But the most telling fact in favor of prohibition is the enormous decrease in crime. Police Judge Highley points out that during three months before prohibition there were 1,705 cases, of which 415 were drunks. During three months after prohibition, there were only 821 cases, of which 155 were drunks. And still some foolish croakers say prohibition is a failure!

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## New a Million Loaned Out.

Cathrie, Okla., April 22.—The state school land department has passed the million mark in loans out of the \$5,000,000 state school land fund given the state by the United States at statehood. Of this amount, \$775,000 has been loaned to counties on 10-year 5 per cent county bonds for current county expenses, and \$400,000 has been loaned farmers of Oklahoma on farm lands and secured by first mortgages. The interest also charged the farmers is 5 per cent, though their loans as a rule do not run anything like the period of time as the county loans.

That languid, lifeless feeling that comes with spring and early summer, can quickly change to a feeling of buoyancy and energy by the judicious use of Dr. Shoop's Restorative. The Restorative is a genuine tonic to tired, run-down nerves, and but a few doses is needed to satisfy the user that Dr. Shoop's Restorative is actually reaching that tired spot. The inner life of winter nearly always leads to sluggish bowels, and to sluggish circulation in general. The customary lack of exercise and outdoor air ties up the liver, stagnates the kidneys, and sometimes weakens the heart's action. Use Dr. Shoop's Restorative a few weeks and all will be changed. A few days' rest will tell you that you are using the right remedy. You will easily and surely note the change from day to day. Sold by G. M. Ramsey.



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They don't cost you any more than some of the bad ones that you have been trying to smoke, and couldn't. We sell the celebrated "Abaco" cigar for 5c, the price is all that distinguishes it from a 10c cigar. It will only cost you a nickel to testify to the truthfulness of the above. Suppose you make an investment of 5c and see. We also sell other cigars, smoking and chewing tobacco.

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## The Vanishing Fleets

By ROY NORTON

### CHAPTER V. In Secret Paths.

Nippon, the home of the Samurai, in her adoption of newer methods, had not permitted her secret service department to remain in ancient form. Modeled on those lines which had made the intelligence bureau of Russia one of the most effective in the entire world, and profiting by the publicity given to nearly every movement of importance in the United States. She was minutely informed of all that had been and was taking place in the country she hoped to overcome. She had depended upon this knowledge as a valued factor for the subjugation of the American colossus, not foreseeing that a country capable of closing its doors to the world would also find means to circumvent foreign agents. To the last minute she relied upon her emissaries in nearly all the larger cities of America under the direction of Count Seigo.

Away back in the time of the Tokugawa Shogunate, when the almost invincible leader Seigo was an idol to the youth of Satsuma to be toppled over only in the civil war of 1877, his son was being educated in a leading American university. The downfall of the father practically exiled the lad in the United States until family and political influence had time to reassert itself, when by progressive steps he gained the good graces of his government and was given responsible positions in affairs of state. His knowledge of the American political situation was complete and accurate and no man was better informed on the strength and weakness of the republic.

It had been largely through his advice that the dispute between the two nations, trivial in itself but portentous in possibilities, had been used as a pretext for war. Thoroughly conversant with congressional methods in the United States, he had watched year by year the quibblings of legislators over naval bills which usually ended in inadequate appropriations. Of broader mind than they, he had long foreseen that a country which had come into distant colonial possessions must of necessity enlarge its navy and augment its efficiency, expend money in unremitting streams for maintenance, and stimulate its men to seek individual excellence in gunnery and drill. He had observed the growth of conceit, which, like rust beneath a coat of paint, led men to believe so devoutly in American superiority that they neglected to analyze the actual power which could positively be developed. By a process of elimination he estimated the fighting value of the American navy, discarding vessels still in service but obsolete, and others still on paper but looked upon by the unsophisticated as a part of the nation's strength. National prowess he regarded as a small factor when granting equality.

Seigo's observations had been so careful and his conclusions so logical, that reports sent to and passed upon by the elder statesmen of Japan had led them to feel certain of victory long before war was declared. Nor had his predictions in the opening events been unfulfilled. True he had not expected the abandonment of the Philippines; but he had confidently foretold the period of torpidity, of confusion and lack of cohesion, which had followed. It was with satisfaction, therefore, that he observed the trend of events when hostilities were finally declared, and from the quietude of his study saw the whole country waiting for the government to act while apparently it remained sullen.

The surrender of the islands came as the first perplexing problem for which he could neither account nor understand, and his activities prior to that event were nothing when compared with those subsequent. He was too adroit ever to have appeared as a laborer in the limelight, and was therefore eminently fitted to drop from sight at the outbreak, when his fellow countrymen were leaving by hundreds seeking places of refuge across the border lines north and south or embarking on the high seas for foreign ports. Singularly enough, race prejudice in the eastern states had never reached the point of acute discrimination which made the denizens of that section classify the Japanese and Chinese in one broad category as orientals; it was therefore easy for Seigo to don the garb of a laundryman in the city of Washington, improvise a pigtail, and without interruption assume to pursue this vocation.

Fertile of resource, he readily discovered that in a situation where anarchy might thrive the followers of the red flag would be his most valuable spies. Without difficulty he allied himself with this element, and gained a friendly footing with them by ostensibly favoring the advancement of their cause in Russian domains. Their confidence in him was strengthened by the fact that he was accomplished in their language, which he spoke fluently, and was a liberal contributor to their treasury.

Having thus ingratiated himself

the next step was made easy. He selected such tools from the ranks of these malcontents as seemed best fitted to his hands, and thereby established a means of securing news that would have been impossible in any other way. From his little hovel he directed these men as seemed best, assigning them to tasks of more or less magnitude, and paying lavishly for anything of value; and to his obscure place there came divers men when night time offered the cloak of darkness to the fugitive.

Seigo's most valuable ally was one Meredith, of English parentage, and a man who for years resided on Cross street, Paterson, N. J., that unfortunate city whose very industry and peacefulness had made it the gathering place of the Reds. Meredith was a machinist by trade, and an employee of a supply house; so it was not surprising that he brought news of strange and unusual purchases made through many sources by the United States government. In this there was nothing alarming, and it was rather with curiosity that the astute descendant of a Samurai looked over these reports and vaguely wondered whether they might have bearing on war. He was sufficiently painstaking to ask for others and check them up; but in this he gained nothing beyond the certainty that the navy department, while existing in a state of seeming stagnation, was inwardly very active. He made many trips to the points where these purchases were made, but found them innocuous in so far as he could reason.

As time went on, however, he found that the greater portion of these shipments were being sent to Miami, Fla., and was driven to the final conclusion that if the government was active in any way at all, the key must be at the



Seigo's Most Valuable Ally Was One Meredith.

small city on the southeastern coast. News had leaked through to him to the effect that the ships of the United States were scattering out over many seas instead of mobilizing in western waters. More than this, Seigo learned that in all navy yards there had been a cessation of work, whereas an increase would have seemed more reasonable, considering the unfinished state of several cruisers and battle ships.

On first thought he attributed this latter lapse to one of the frequent changes of policy or a dearth of funds, but now, in view of these later shipments and purchases, he began to question. In Washington no news was obtainable. The administration was preserving a wooden front toward not only the world but its own people as well. Congressmen and senators knew nothing beyond the declaration of war and the empowering of the president and his cabinet in special session to act for the country, and the administration was apparently doing nothing whatever out of the regular routine of business. It was this paucity which drove the sham laundryman from his irons and away upon a

journey southward was accomplished with ridiculous ease. He bought his ticket to Miami without being subjected to interrogation, boarded the second-class or smoking coach at the head of the train without hindrance, and rode away in undisturbed solitude. No one seemed aware or in any event to care for his presence. There were no attempts at conversation, except in one instance where a good-natured southerner hailed him with: "Hello, John! Going to start a wash shop somewhere?" nor was he in the least perturbed save on an occasion when a rough threatened to tweak his pigtail; but even this went no further than words.

Everywhere were criticisms of the conduct of the war and imprecations against the administration. The Americans themselves were no more cognizant than he of why soldiers had been stretched along the border line, ports closed, and communication cut off. The citizens of the country itself were as mystified as the Japanese, and frankly thought the situation a

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SPECIAL TRAIN TO NORMAN.  
Norman, Okla., April 22.—The Santa Fe will run a special train to Norman April 25, to the High School Field and Track meet. The train will make up at Newkirk early in the morning, somewhere near seven o'clock, and will arrive in Norman about noon.

Twenty schools have made entries, a total of 128 men, and besides the supporters of these twenty teams, delegates and visitors from other schools will attend. The teachers' and superintendents' meeting, Friday, the 24th, promises to be well attended. Some of the track teams expect to arrive in Norman Thursday evening.

Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the County Court of said County, this 14th day of April, 1908.

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## PERSONAL COLUMN

W. H. Ebey returned from Guthrie last night.

E. W. Harden returned from Guthrie last night, where he has been in the interest of the Normal.

It is reported that Mr. Orchard, who for several years was Katy agent here, is seriously ill.

Judge Galbreath came home today.

Cal Boland, constable of Stonewall, is in Ada.

FOR RENT—2 room house close in, garden started. R. O. WHEELER.

Master William Rippey is among the sick.

Will Guest returned to Stonewall this morning.

Charlie Thompson came in on the north bound Frisco this morning.

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J. A. Sumner, formerly of Ada, but now of Franks, was in Ada Thursday attending court.

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Mrs. J. L. Skinner of Wetumpka is in the city visiting her mother, Mrs. W. B. Adair.

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Mrs. Geo. Frierson, who has been visiting Mrs. Parnell at Sulphur, returned to Ada this morning.

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G. F. Cox, nephew of County Treasurer Cates, came in on the Katy this morning for a visit.

Mrs. Robert Wimbish will be at home to Sorosis Friday p. m. from 4 to 6.

Wilber Lee left this morning for Texoma, where he will reside permanently.

SILK ORGANIE—Small brown polka dot and flower designs, on cream ground. W. N. GUEST. D2w1t

In Allen, April 22, Mrs. H. W. Barnett. She was buried in Rosedale cemetery at 3 o'clock, April 23. We extend sympathy to the bereaved family.

DIED.

## DISTRICT COURT.

### Tom Birdwell Murder Case on Trial.

The trial of Tom Birdwell for the killing of Jim Goodson was called in the district court this afternoon and at the time of going to press the jury had not all been secured. It will probably take all Friday and a part of Saturday to finish this case.

The case of Dr. Breco of Stonewall was postponed until Monday, April 27. All witnesses in this case have been discharged till that day.

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Notice is hereby given that bids will be received by the State Printer at his office in Guthrie, Okla., for the doing of all items of printing and book work required by the State of Oklahoma, in all departments, offices, institutions and commissions. Also for all bound books and records required by the district courts, counties and townships of the state.

The schedules and specifications for this printing will be furnished upon application by the State Printer. No bids will be received after two o'clock p. m., April 29th, 1908. The State Printing Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids; among reasons for rejecting bids will be the lack of business integrity of the bidder, and to apportion the work of the printing and binding as its judgment may seem best.

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You will lose money if you don't take advantage of some of the extra good values we are offering in many lines.

This week we are placing on sale a beautiful line of

### American China Dinner Ware

in a pretty moss rose decoration. Plates, cups and saucers, oat meals, cake plates, dishes, vegetables, platters, soup bowls, etc. You can buy all you want for

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Come to us for everything imaginable in household and kitchen supplies. The prettiest line of china and glassware, and hundreds of other items, and the prices right. I thank you for your patronage.

### The Nickel Store

#### AND CHINA HALL

The 5c and 10c Store of Ada  
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Should the weather forbid the Miss Grace Carter recital this evening, she will remain over and fill the engagement on Friday evening. Do not forget.

### COMPLETE LINE

Of Watches, Rings, and the famous Edison Phonograph

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Leading Jeweler and Optician  
Fifteen years at the bench. Everything guaranteed as represented. Engraving a specialty.

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We use the best in all our drinks; artesia water in them all.

## The Water that Made Ada Famous

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General Real Estate and Insurance Agents. Farm and city property for sale or rent. If you have anything for sale list it with us.

Office: Front of Citizens National Bank  
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Is papering and painting his drug store out of his own material. Come in and see how it shines.



I can fix you up the same way. No music boxes to catch your trade.

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### Deposits Guaranteed.

Every dollar deposited in the Farmers' State Bank is protected by the Deposits Guaranty Fund of Oklahoma. We will appreciate your business. ff

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If your back hurts you bring your spine to me I will adjust it and you won't know you have a back.

DR. BARTLEY, The Osteopath.

Over Rollow's Store, Ada, Okla.

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Means making the most out of every resource. You are not fully utilizing your resources unless you are using the Long Distance Telephone. It is economic, accurate and instantaneous.

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## Fresh Clean and Wholesome Groceries

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## Two Rugs Given Away

\$3 and \$5 Rugs

Any one who will read the ad. below to the greatest number of people, securing his or her name and postoffice in their own hand writing as evidence they did listen to the reading; number each name beginning at one and go up. No one entitled to a prize who has less than thirty-five (35) names.

Deliver to Ada Furniture and Coffin Co., in Ada, Okla., by May 2 at 12 o'clock, will get first choice of rugs and second greatest number will get second choice. Will be delivered same day at store.

### SEE THEM IN OUR SHOW WINDOW.

These rugs are given away as a compensation to invite you to visit our store and see our beautiful line of floor coverings, etc. We have a full line of Axminster, Brussels and Engrain, 9x12 Art Squares. Six to Twenty-five Dollars. The designs are excellent, fast, rich and beautiful combination colors, price, texture or weave unequalled. They are hung on a rug rack so you may give them your full inspection.

Our roll carpet runs from 35c to 80c per yard. The two ply is the very best of that grade, all wool and a beautiful pattern. Remember we loose the waste, when we match and have it sewed for 3c per yard extra. We will order anything not in stock at once from sample patterns.

Our mattings consist of China and Jap, different figures, stripes and colors. Price 18c to 40c per yard. First order of 20 rolls for spring nearly out, second order in transit. Price and quality talk.

We have linoleum floor oil cloth and carpet paper in stock.

We will be pleased to have you call, thoroughly inspect our goods, prices and terms.

Ada Furniture & Coffin Co.  
Houpt and Jackson, Props.

WE FIT THE



CHAPMAN  
THE SHOE MAN

## The Chase for Titles.

At least 50 titles, more or less authentic, have been captured by American women in France. How many are real? A good proportion. Others are papal; others merely assumed. Since titles were abolished in France the "aristocracy" has increased fivefold. There are five times as many dukes, counts and all that in republican France to-day, as there were in the royal France of old. They spring up like mushrooms. There is no law against your butcher assuming the title of the Marquis de Tete de Veau if it so pleases him. And, therefore, comes it that many a girl does not get what she pays for—poor child! However, authentic titles—registered in the Almanach de Gotha—are going cheap these days, declares Vance Thompson, in New Broadway Magazine. One of the best-known American women in Paris makes an excellent living as a marriage broker. I have seen one of her lists which was brought to the attention of a girl with money—money made, curiously enough, out of wooden toothpicks. Among the titled men offered to the wooden toothpick heiress were the Duc de Montmorency, the Count de Chateaubriand and the Prince de Lecca. She hasn't chosen yet. I recommended the Prince de Lecca. He is of the Corsican branch of the Colonnes and has been trying to marry an American girl for years and years. Of course, he has no money, but the title is a good one. He is known as the Knight of the Sorrowful Visage; and he writes verses. "Take him," I said to the heiress. "Why?" she asked. "Because he looks like a toothpick;" but she didn't like the reason.

## Men Who Think.

When a man makes a serious blunder, or discovers that he has engaged in an unprofitable enterprise, his excuse is, "I didn't think." He should have reflected on his enterprise before engaging in it. It is the duty of every man to think. Thinking is the important thing in business. Every man should take from five to fifty minutes each day and divorce his mind from the strenuous activity surrounding him and devote the time to thought. The brain is like the muscle; it must have exercise, or it becomes flabby. Cultivate concentration of thought; study your sphere of usefulness; cut out the weeds that grow in your brain; get out of the mental rut you are in; stop drifting; keep your brain active. Men are paid for either what they think or what they do with their muscles, says the New York Weekly. Man's muscles have a limit; he can move just so much matter by physical force, but by thinking he has unlimited possibilities. The world offers golden prizes to the man who thinks. You can cultivate your brain; you can make it expand. The brain is like a plant. Nourish it, cultivate it, care for it, and it will grow. The man who thinks is the man who succeeds.

"There are a number of cattish men in this world. Their yowl is audible around public places frequently," remarks an editorial writer in the Washington Post, in the course of an article defending woman from the assertion that all women are cats. While placing men in the same class may not be much of a defense of the gentler sex, it is encouraging to see that there are men broad enough to espouse the small failings of their own sex. After all, cattishness is only an expression of those attributes—envy, hatred, malice and all uncharitableness—and from their attacks the so-called stronger sex is not immune.

When the Bank of England note returns to the bank it is never re-issued. It is canceled by having the signature of the chief cashier torn off. After the signatures are torn off the notes are pricked off in the register and sorted into the dates of issue. They are then placed in boxes in the vaults, where they are kept for five years, after which they are burned in a furnace placed in a courtyard.

They hear in Paris that Germany may buy the Philippines. That Paris rumor factory is turning out a mighty poor product these days. It should get a new foreman. The raw material he is using appears to be all right. That is to say, it is raw enough to suit the most fastidious taste. The finished product, however, causes even the serious-minded to smile.

A man in Brooklyn laughed so heartily over a joke that it killed him. This is the sarcasm of fate. There are repeated cases on record of people laughing themselves to death, but whoever heard of ill-natured persons dying of a grouch? Yet the latter kind could be so much more easily spared.

Some persons are curious to know where Mrs. Hetty Green kept all those millions she had on hand to lend to needy capitalists during the financial stringency in New York city.

WESTERN CANADA CROPS  
CANNOT BE CHECKED.OATS YIELDED 90 BUSHELS TO  
THE ACRE.

The following letter written the Dominion Government Commissioner of Emigration speaks for itself. It proves the story of the Agents of the Government that on the free homesteads offered by the Government it is possible to become comfortably well off in a few years:

Regina, Sask., 23rd Nov., 1907.  
Commissioner of Immigration,  
Winnipeg.

Dear Sir:

It is with pleasure that I reply to your request. Some years ago I took up a homestead for myself and also one for my son. The half section which we own is situated between Rouleau and Drinkwater, adjoining the Moose Jaw creek, is a low level and heavy land. We put in 70 acres of wheat in stubble, which went 20 bushels to the acre, and 30 acres of summer fallow, which went 25 bushels to the acre. All the wheat we harvested this year is No. 1 hard. That means the best wheat that can be raised on the earth. We did not sell any wheat yet as we intend to keep one part for our own seed, and sell the other part to people who want first-class seed, for there is no doubt if you sow good wheat you will harvest good wheat.

We also threshed 9,000 bushels of first-class oats out of 160 acres. 80 acres has been fall plowing which yielded 90 bushels per acre, and 80 acres stubble, which went 30 bushels to the acre. These oats are the best kind that can be raised. We have shipped three car loads of them, and got 53 cents per bushel clear. All our grain was cut in the last week of the month of August before any frost could touch it.

Notwithstanding the fact that we have had a late spring, and that the weather conditions this year were very adverse and unfavorable, we will make more money out of our crop this year than last.

For myself I feel compelled to say that Western Canada crops cannot be checked, even by unusual conditions.

I am, dear sir,  
Yours truly,  
(Signed) A. Kaltenbrunner.

## A LITTLE KNOWLEDGE.



Schoolmaster—Do you wish your son to learn the dead languages?

Mr. Koffin—Certainly, as I shall require him to assist in my business as an undertaker.

## Didn't Need It.

Agent—Here's a book that will be welcome in every family. It contains all the rules of etiquette and directions for avoiding slips in grammar.

Hiram Grasscutt—Don't need nothing of that kind. Got a daughter from boardin' school, a son goin' to high school an' a hired man who's a college feller workin' for his health. But, by jing, partner, it's a relief to talk once in a while to a common, ordinary person. I don't need the book, but I'm darned glad you called.

## Answered Truthfully.

During the late financial flurry a St. Louis business man was called to serve on a jury. "What is your name?" asked the attorney. "John Smith," the business man replied.

"Your color?" the attorney continued. "White," said John Smith. "Your age?" "Forty-eight," quoth Mr. Smith. "Your business?" "Rotten," said John Smith.

## How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We have designed, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and especially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is a powerful, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## Admitted That Much.

"But," she persisted, "you can't deny it. A woman's life is made up of sacrifices."

"Of sacrifice sales, yes," replied the brute, her husband.

## It Cures While You Walk.

Allen's Foot-Ease is a certain cure for hot, sweating, callous, and swollen, aching feet. Sold by all Druggists. Price 25c. Don't accept any substitute. Trial package FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

It's All Right, Then.  
She—You have kissed other girls, haven't you?

He—Yes; but no one that you know.—Harper's Weekly.

## Public Land Opening.

Irrigated under "Carey Act." Low cost easy payments. Write for date of drawing and full information, Irrigation Department, 406 Home Ins. Bldg., Chicago.

For His "Animated Nature." Goldsmith got \$4,500 for his "Animated Nature."

DO YOU KNOW  
WHAT WHITE LEAD IS?

Its Chief Use and a Method of Determining Good from Bad Explained.

White Lead is the standard paint material all over the world. It is made by corrodng metallic lead into a white powder, through exposing it to the fumes of weak acetic acid and carbonic acid gas; this powder is then ground and mixed with linseed oil, making a thick paste, in which form it is packed and sold for painting purposes. The painter thins it down to the proper consistency for application by the addition of more linseed oil.

The above refers, of course, to pure, genuine White Lead only. Adulterated and fake "White Lead," of which there are many brands on the market, is generally some sort of composition containing only a percentage of white lead; sometimes no White Lead at all; in such stuff, barytes or ground rock, chalk, and similar cheap substances are used to make bulk and imitate the appearance of pure White Lead.

There is, however, a positive test by which the purity or impurity of White Lead may be proved or exposed, before painting with it.

The blow-pipe flame will reduce pure white lead to metallic lead. If a supposed white lead be thus tested and it only partially reduces to lead, leaving a residue, it is proof that something else was there besides white lead.

The National Lead Company guarantees all White Lead sold in packages bearing its "Dutch Boy Painter" trademark to prove absolutely pure under this blow-pipe test, and that you may make the test yourself in your own home, they will send free upon request a blow-pipe and everything else necessary to make the test, together with a valuable booklet on paint. Address, National Lead Company, Woodbridge Building, New York.

## One Woman's Wrongs.

Mrs. Smallpurse (who found only a few dimes in her husband's pockets that morning)—I am just sick of this plodding along year after year. Why don't you do something to make money?

Mr. Smallpurse—I can't make any more than a living at my business, no matter how hard I work.

Mrs. Smallpurse—Then do something else. Invent something. Any American can invent.

Mr. Smallpurse (some months after)—My dear, I've hit it, and I've got a patent. My fortune is made.

Mrs. Smallpurse (delighted)—Isn't that grand! What did you invent?

Mr. Smallpurse—I have invented a barbed-wire safety pocket for husbands.—New York Weekly.

## DEEP CRACKS FROM ECZEMA

Could Lay Slate-Pencil in One—Hands in Dreadful State—Permanent Cure in Cuticura.

"I had eczema on my hands for about seven years and during that time I had used several so-called remedies, together with physicians' and druggists' prescriptions. The disease was so bad on my hands that I could lay a slate-pencil in one of the cracks and a rule placed across the hand would not touch the pencil. I kept using remedy after remedy, and while some gave partial relief, none relieved as much as did the first box of Cuticura Ointment. I made a purchase of Cuticura Soap and Ointment and my hands were perfectly cured after two boxes of Cuticura Ointment and one cake of Cuticura Soap were used. W. H. Dean, Newark, Del., Mar. 28, 1907."

## On the Judges.

A celebrated Scottish lawyer had to address the Caledonian equivalent of our supreme court. His "pleading" occupied an entire day. After seven hours of almost continuous oratory he went home, at supper and was asked to conduct family worship. As he was exhausted his devotions were brief.

"I am ashamed of ye," said the old mother. "To think ye could talk for seven hours up at the court and dismiss my Maker in seven minutes."

"Ay, verrr true," was the reply, "but ye maun mind that the Lord isn't sae dull in the uptak as tha'e judge-bodies."

## Guess.

He—I think that I have the pleasure of the next dance?

She—You do.

Now, what did she mean by that?—Harvard Lampoon.

## WHAT CAUSES HEADACHE.

From October to May, Colds are the most frequent cause of Headache. LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE removes cause. E.W.Grove on box 25c

It's easier for a woman to hold a strong man than her own tongue.

## GOOD HOUSEKEEPERS.

Use the best. That's why you buy Red Cross Ball Blue. At leading grocers 5 cents.

Fancy prices please the seller more than the buyer.

## A MEAN ADVANTAGE.



She—Algernon, you have now been courting me seven years. Quick, name the day, or I may not be able to find the date!

## Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*  
In Use For Over 30 Years.

The Kind You Have Always Bought.

## Bulgarians' Healthful Diet.

In Bulgaria the chief article of food is sour milk made into zogurt. On this diet the people live to a rare old age.

Garfield Tea—a simple and satisfactory laxative! Composed of Herbs, it regulates liver and kidneys, overcomes constipation and brings Good Health.

High aims form noble character and great objects bring out great minds.—Tryon Edwards.

## DON'T SPOIL YOUR CLOTHES.

Use Red Cross Ball Blue and keep them white as snow. All grocers, 5c a package.

After calling a prisoner down the judge is apt to send him up.

## ONLY ONE "BROMO QUININE".

That is LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. Used the World over to Cure a Cold in One Day. 25c.

It isn't idle curiosity that prompts a man to look for work.

## FILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS.

PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Hemorrhoid, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

Success seldom comes to a man who isn't expecting it.

## Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.

For children's teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, relieves pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Many a man gets left by sticking to the right.

I AM  
A MOTHER

How many American women in lonely homes to-day long for this blessing to come into their lives, and to be able to utter these words, but because of some organic derangement this happiness is denied them.

Every woman interested in this subject should know that preparation for healthy maternity is accomplished by the use of LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND

Mrs. Maggie Gilmer, of West Union, S. C., writes to Mrs. Pinkham:

"I was greatly run-down in health from a weakness peculiar to my sex, when Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me. It not only restored me to perfect health, but to my delight I am a mother."

Mrs. Josephine Hall, of Bardstown, Ky., writes:

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## FACTS FOR SICK WOMEN.

For thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, has been the standard remedy for female ills, and has positively cured thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflammation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearing-down feeling, flatulence, indigestion, dizziness or nervous prostration. Why don't you try it?

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